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Mr. William Hathaway  
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region VI  
First International Building  
1201 Elm Street  
Dallas, Texas 75270

Re: Olin North Little Rock Facility

Dear Mr. Hathaway:

Enclosed is Olin's environmental assessment and closure plan for the former waste disposal site located at its North Little Rock Works. This submission is intended to replace any previous submissions to and filings with your office in connection with this matter and therefore, the Environmental Protection Agency should construe this letter (and attachments) as Olin's final environmental assessment and closure plan regarding the captioned site. As your records will reflect, most of the data and information furnished herewith previously have been submitted to your office. However, in order to provide the Agency with a complete environmental assessment and closure plan, we are resubmitting such data and information.

An overall investigation was conducted to determine if residues from previous waste disposal practices had the potential to significantly affect the surrounding environment. As you are aware the investigation included samplings of soils, air, groundwater and rainfall runoff as well as a geohydrological study. As the site assessment demonstrates, there is no potential for significant migration of pesticides.

Those small amounts of pesticides which are leaving the site will be further reduced by the elimination of standing water and by isolating the surface soils from rainfall contact. This will be accomplished by means of a clay cap covering the disposal area.

This closure plan has been finalized after a review of our original assessment and plans in the light of comments received

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from your office and from the Arkansas Department of Pollution Control & Ecology by the correspondence of July 25, September 1, and September 28, 1983, and during the meeting of August 17, 1983. The plan is forwarded now to provide EPA Region VI with a formal statement of the results of our investigation, our environmental assessment of the site, and our plans for remedial actions which will be implemented promptly.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. R. Anderson".

J. R. Anderson  
Manager, Environmental Affairs

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Enclosure

cc: Cheryl Terai  
Arkansas Department of Pollution Control & Ecology